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SPECULATIVE ACTIVITY

MARKED IN WALL STREET.

MANIPULATION BY BOTH BULLS AND BEARS.

Railways in Ficavy Demand and Substantial Advances Scored by Many.

New York, Nov. 23 - Speculative activity New York, Nov 22—Specialitye activity contents the stock excharge and manipulative devices were freely used, both by the bulls and the barr. The consequence was a feverish and excited market. There was Mexican National. trai, Norfolk and Western and Southern Railway stocks, individual transactions in these running from 1,00 to 5,80 shares, New York Central was lifted an extreme 24. Norfolk and Western 151 and Southern Railway preferred 15. There these running from 1,93 to 5,86 shares, New York Central was lifted an extreme 24. Norfolk and Western 15 and Southern Railway preferred 15. There was a disposition to take profits in some of the recent favorites, which had an unsettling influence upon the market from the outset. Michigan Central jumped 20 points on the purchase of 169 shares. The Builalo, Rochetter and Pittsburg stocks and Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Sie Marie preferred rose 2½ to 25. Austigamated Capper was weak throughout, with the exception of a slight fractonal sain at the opening. In the late dealings the stock slumped to 81, which is a fraction below the lowest price ever previously touched. The assertion was published in the street that papers against the Analyzamated company are being prepared in the attorney-general's office at Washington. The report effected a break of 3½ points in Sugar as well. This weakness took the cigs off the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was being prepared in the attorney-general's office at Washington. The report effected a break of 5½ points in Sugar as well. This weakness took the cigs off the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was being prepared in the attorney-general's office at Washington. The report effected a break of 5½ points in Sugar as well. This weakness took the cigs off the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was being prepared to the cigs of the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was being prepared to the cigs of the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was been controlled to the cigs of the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was been controlled to the cigs of the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was been controlled to the cigs of the raily on the strong bank statement, and made the closure of 15. Seek. It was been controlle

Week's Transing Was Irregular.

There was extraordinary irregularity in the stock market during the week, leaning to the side of depression in the earlier part, but giving place to strivingth and animation after the middle of the week. In the comparative duliness of the earlier part of the week the speculative sentiment on the general outlook was vague and conflicting, and the only movements of any importance were based on causes individual to the stocks affected. As a consequence, prices of different stocks were often moving strongly in opposite directions. The absence of gold exports to-day is taken as assurance that the immediate requirements abroad are satisfied, as it was expected shipments would be necessary to meet American subscriptions, due in London or December 5, to the final installment of the Estish loan. These monthly installments on the loan have been disburged about as far as they were paid, and this final payment points to the conclusion that the British Government must soon be in the money market again as a heavy borrower to meet the continuing expenses of military operations in South Africa.

Foreign Money Matters. Foreign Money Matters.

It is evident also that the Bank of Engand is operating to make its 4 per cent
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STOCKS AND BONDS IN BOSTON. Boston, Mass., Nev. 25.—To-day's closi ations on money, bonds, stocks and dures were:

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Mining Shares.

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The Banks.

Eostan, Nov. 21.—Exchanges \$21,972,990; balances \$1.607,994.
Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 21.—Clearings to-day 199, 182,995; balances \$2,508,827. For the week-clearings \$122,602,600; balances \$15,777,117. Money i per cent.
Chicago, Nov. 22.—Clearings r cent. deago, Nov. 21.—Clearings 223,524,638; hal-es \$1,350,701. Posted exchange \$4,554,494,834. naces \$1,259,701. Posted exchange \$1,55-441.834. Exchange on New York life premium. New York Nov. 21.—Exchanges \$27,567.316; balances \$11,446.34. Bailforme Md. Nov. 21.—Clearings \$1,299.545; balances \$28,741. For the week-Clearings \$27,399.296; balances \$28,672. Money \$4,365 per cent. Cincimati, Nov. 23.—Money \$2,56 per cent. New York exchange 20c premium, Clearings \$2,746,550.

Local Money Market.

SUMMARY OF ST. LOUIS MARKETS.

Despite rains in several States in the Mississippl Valley most of the wheat news raw construed as builtsh yesterday. While the movement of spring wheat to Northwest ceciving points continued to be heavy, it was stated that the grain was being taken by millers as fast as it came in. Receipts of winter wheat at this market were much lighter than on the corresponding day last year, and there was a good inquiry for the lower grades to be used as feed for stock. The market to a considerable extent was supported by the strength of corn, which gained is a bushet during the short session.

Corn's advance was based on an improved export outlook, an excellent cash demand from the South and Southwest and light receipts both locally and at primary points. Brokers were furtified by a good run of outside laying orders for speculative account. Due, wheat opened the up and closed by up. May opened the up and closed the up. Due, corn opened the up and closed be up. May opened thinks up and closed the up. May outs opened %% as up and closed % up. Produce was steady and practically unchanged. The feeling in fruit was easy, but

getables, especially polatoes and cabbane, were decidedly firm.

Trading in local specks and bonds was below the average of the week. Transactions ere easy and in light demand. Missouri Trust was the feature, establishing a new

Bank cleatings for the week surpassed all previous records and were \$30,000 larger an those of the preceding week. Yesterday's clearings were \$7,289.837; balances, \$1,-Discount rates for call and time leans were steady between 5 and 6 per cent,

GRAIN MARKET HIGHER.

WITH GOOD SUPPORT.

The local market for spot cotton was quiet and unchanged.

CORN IMPARTED STRENGTH TO WHEAT AND OATS.

Farmers of South and Southwest Were in the Market for Stock Feed.

There were good gains all around in the crease their stocks and hold them ever closed Fige to Pije higher. Sunday, in view of the bullish character of both domestic and foreign news, Liverpool ontrolled by winter-wheat conditions, and light receipts in this market and their full-

light receipts in this market had their fulleffect In sustaining prices.

Corn was even stronger than wheat, Local and primary receipts were light, and
there was a brisk demand for the grain
for feeding parposes in the Scath and
Southwest Reports from New York showed
that IS loads were taken for export.

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Total clearances yesterday were as follows: Wheat. 43'ac.

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Becelpts of wheat at primary points were Leit-512 but, as compared with 657,00 the same date last year.

Sulpriments 47,531 but, as compared with 82,000 but, same date last year.

Becelpts of wheat at Minneapolis and Dulith were 83 cars, as compared with 67 cars same date last year.

Recelpts of corn at St. Louis were 51,200 but, compared with 43,150 but, a year age.

Of these 24 cars were local and 2 cars through the same date a year age.

Year ago. Receipts of cora at primary points were 70.254 bu., as compared with 55,090 bu, same Shipments 31.016 bu., compared with 1,014.-Shipments 71.06 but, compared with 1,010,000 but, same date last year.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis were 33,600 but, compared with 18,000 but, a year ago, of these 22 cars were local and 6 cars through, compared with 13 cars local and through, compared with 13 cars local and through, compared with it cars local and I car through the same date a year ago. Receipts of oats at primary points were 73,778 bu, as compared with 25,000 bu, same date lost year.

Shipments 51,128 bu, compared with 155,000 bu, same date lost year.

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT. Money on Hand Increases-Loans

and Deposits Decrease. New York, Nov. 22.—The statement of the secolated banks for the week ending to

New 1018, Not. 22.—The work ending to day shows:

1 Journal Bellow, 24. decreased \$12.56.19; deposits \$12.56.29; decreased \$13.15.69; circulation \$2.15.29.29; decreased \$13.15.69; circulation \$2.15.29.29; decreased \$13.15.69; circulation \$2.15.29.29; decreased \$13.15.69; circulation \$2.15.29.29; decreased \$13.15.69.29; limitates \$10.20, limitates \$10.2

Wall Street Gossip.
Reported by Francis, 1-ro. & Co., No. 211 North

Fourth street:
London was not a factor in this murket,
speculative interest in Americans on the other side
being so slight that there was no outh training
there after the close of London. The only armtraine trading was the evening up of contract,
and the total transactions on both sides did not
exceed 5,000.

There was no news on this or any other of on stocks, but a speculative demand appears to have been attracted to the coul stocks because of continued favorable trade reports.

N. & W. was bought on a large scale by Phila-delphia houses, supervently on the soft-scal con-solidation. The continued demand has created a searcity in the stock and made it sensitive to the execution of any large buying orders.

A Washington dispatch stating that Atherney General had decided to commone proceedings against Amalgamated Cooper started a rush to sell that stock, forcing the trice down sharply and inducing sympathetic selling in nearly all the active stocks just before the close. The selling of Amalgamated was made more effective because inside support has been absent for some time.

N. Y. C. was a strong feature until the close, the advance being due to a great extent to purchases by Rolston & Hooley, supposed to be for Vanderbilt interests. It was believed on the board that some valuable reports will be offered to N. Y. C. stockholders with the merchag of junior Vanderbilt lines into one corporation.

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., No. 319 North Fourth street; Stocks. Pdd. Ade. Stocks.

Diamond Match of Illinois.

Lake Street Elevated Rulroad.

Metropolitan Elevated Do pfd. National Biscutt Bo pfd. Yesterday's Bank Clearings.

Yesterday's bank clearings were \$1.99.32; for the week, \$5.391.40; against \$3.90.32; the pre-vious week and \$29.84.018 a year ago. Halances were \$1.01,63; for the week, \$7.218.02, against \$3.00.316 the previous week and \$1.53.82; a year \$20.00.316 the previous week and \$1.53.82; a year OH City Quetations.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 22.—Credit balances 1.30; certificates, no bid; shipments 102.025; average 104,405; runs 84.750; average 77,100. Los Angeles Water Bonds Sold. Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 21—The City Cor-to-day accepted the offer of Trowbridge & of Chicago and the Commercial Investment of pany of Dulmque, in., for the entire water i issue of \$1,000,000 and a year's accrued inter-

HEAVY TRADING IN CORN HELPED ALL GRAIN MARKETS.

MATERIAL ADVANCES AT THE CLOSE.

Rains in the West and Continued Car Shortage Operated in Favor of the Bulls.

grains belied off markets to-day, and Dec. scat grain markets yesterday. Grokers on wheat closed the higher, Dec. corn le up the buying side were bold enough to in- and Dec. wheat Pgc advanced. Provisions Corn. Trading in the corn pit was the heaviest

and Paris closed higher on wheat, and there in a week, notwithstanding it was Saturwas a fair experi demand. Despite heavy day. Continued rains in the West retarded tocelpts at primary points, especially at the crap inevenient, cables were somewhat was a fair export demand. Despite heavy fay. Continued rains in the West retarded the crop inevenient, cables were somewhat Minneapolis and Duluth, the market was improved and offerings were light in the extreme. Added to this, several prominent professionals began to bull this cereal Dec. opened while higher at weighting largely on the cables. Dec. advanced results to a strong close, le higher, at 60-2c. Receipts were 146 curs.

Wheat,

had been expected, but fluctuated between these two prices until just before the close. Recenpts were liberal, particularly in the Northwest. Dec. closed firm, be higher, at 724/72%c. Loual receipts were f3 cars, of contract grade. Minneapolis and Lu-luth reported 8si cars, making a total for the three points of 92 cars, against last week's 911 and 649 a year ago. Primary receipts were 1,91,90 bu, compared with 66,000, bg. hist year. Seaboard charances in whear and flour equaled 25,000 bu.

Range of Futures.

Receipts and Shipments.

large and estimates indicated continued increases. Jan pork closed 17½c higher at \$15.45, Jan lard 2½c up at \$8.80, and Jan. 110s 7½c higher at \$7.87½. Estimated receipts for Monday: Whest 79 cars; corn 105; outs 155; hogs 50,000 head. BOND SALES AT NEW YORK.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York, New E.—The curb market to-day accred firm in tone, but with dealing in small velome and a generally slack demand. Prices in the carly trading sustained firmness and the demand quickened for several issues with the progress of the day. At no lime was the trading animated during the two-hour session, and most of the activity and excitement was in the crowd making wagers on the Vale-Harvard football game, and en which many large-sized bets were placed.

New York Curb Stocks. ed by G. H. Walker & Co., No. 310 North

Reported by G. H. Walker & Co., No. 310 North	the plan of the Modern Woodmen. At the last national meeting a resolution was adopted providing for a plan to secure a reserve fund and arrange a plan to secure a reserve fund and arrange a new plan of assessment. MISSOURI Y. W. C. A. MEETING. St. Louis Delegation Leaves for Moberly To-Morrow. The Young Women's Christian Association of Missouri will meet in State Convention at the Fourth Street Methodist Church, Moberly, Mo. to-morrow afternoon, continuing in session Thesday and Wednesday. This is the ninth annual conference, and a big gathering is expected to be present. Those who will attend from St. Louis, and who leave on to-morrow's train for Moberly, are: Mrs. C. C. Rainwater, Mrs. C. R. Springer, Mrs. E. E. Hiltok, Mrs. Daniel Kohn, Mrs. William P. Stewart, Mrs. C. C. Cowlee, Mrs. C. C. Morris, Miss M. C. Lee, Miss Laura Bridges, Mrs. J. Wheelis, Mrs. S. B. Scammill, Mrs. A. C. Carpenter, Mrs. J. E. Kenny, Mrs. G. T. Sprake, Mrs. J. D. Vincil, Mrs. E. S. Jeffry, Mrs. J. G. Hinchman, Miss Mande Sheppard. BUILT BONFIRE IN A CLOSET. Five-Year-Old Sch Sets Fire to Joseph Swobeda's Residence.
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MARKET SLOW BUT FIRM FOR LOCAL SECURITIES.

MISSOURI TRUST MADE NEW RECORD.

High-Priced Bank Stocks Were in Demand at Better Figures.

Aside from a successful effect to holster dissouri Trust stock and marked strength In the high-priced lunking group yester day's local stock market was without special feature. The single session was even duller than is usual on Saturday.

Buying of Misseuri Trust was in fairly large volume and investors were persistent enough to advance the stuck to the highest point it has yet reached. The initial sal-was at \$182.50. This was freely bill for Was at \$100.50. This was freely bil for more, but none was forthcoming at that fleure. Later in the session rules were made on the up turn at \$16, 3181.25, 205 and \$15.30. At the close the high price was bid, but the stock was firmly held at \$15.75 Tractions were in better demand, but prices remained about steady with note Transit at \$20.50 and \$29.75, United 1 ways, preferred, sold at \$87.75. The 4-percent bonds were nenfected.

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WILL REVISE ASSESSMENTS. Modern Woodmen of America Con template Change of Plans.

REFUELIC SPECIAL.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 23.—George W. Clark of Topeka has been appointed one of a committee of five to revise the plan and rate of assessment of the Modern Woodmen of America. He will leave to-morrow for Greenville. III., the home of Licutenant Governor Northcott, who is the head counsul of the order, where the sessions of the committee will be held.

The work mapped out is a long and a complicated task, and the committee will probably be in session sixty or ninety says. It is naturally very complicated, for it contemplates the entire reconstruction of the plan of the Modern Woodmen. At the last national meeting a resolution was

MISSOURI Y. W. C. A. MEETING. St. Louis Delegation Leaves for

BUILT BONFIRE IN A CLOSET.

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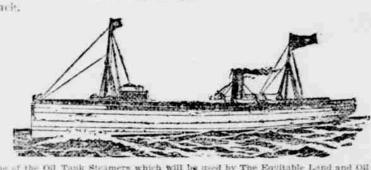
THE EQUITABLE LAND AND OIL COMPANY

Negotiations have been pending for some time between the Equitable Land and Oil Company and an English Syndicate with a view to establishing a

AGAIN TO THE FRONT.

Regular Line of Steamships to be operated between Port Arthur and the foreign ports, to handle exclusively oil from the company's property.

We are pleased to state that these negotiations have practically been closed, in a way that is entirely satisfactory, and within a shorwhile it is expected that the first Steamer employed in the trade will arrive at Port Arthur to take on the first cargo of oil from the Equitable Land and Oil Company's wells. The deal involves the exclusive use of eight steamers, with a capacity of not less than 40,000 barrels

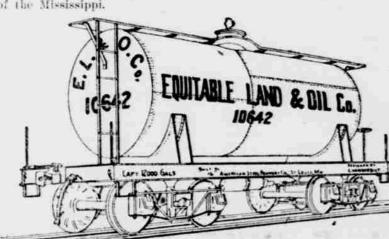


One of the Oil Tank Steamers which will be used by The Equitable Land and Oil Com-pany in exporting Fuel Oil,

The company owning the steamers represent enormous wealth and have already secured a market which will require the active handling of the ships to supply it. For the benefit of our stockholders, we beg to say that within a few days we will be in a position to publish the entire details of this transaction. It is the determination of the officers of the company to leave no stone unturned to make the Equitable Land and Oil Company the peer of any company in the world, and we consider this deal a master-stroke. This, however, is only one of several deals that we have had under consideration for some time. We hope to be able to announce in a short while,

The Establishment of a Barge Line on the Mississippi River From New Orleans to St. Louis. A Steamer Is Now Being Prepared, Which Will Handle Our Product From Port Arthur to New Orleans.

This will mean very cheap fuel for all the cities along the banks of the Mississippi.



e new Vanderbilt Steel Tank Car of 300 barrels capacity which The Equitable Land 1 Cill Company have placed an order for 500 with the American Steel Foundry

In addition to this we will have inland trade that will tax the capacity of

OUR 1,000 TANK CARS.

Which are now under construction. We were offered yesterday an order from a Southern city for sixteen car loads per day, under a contract extending through a long period. This we expect to close and begin the delivery on January 1st. There are other matters of great interest to our stockholders and the public, which we will set forth in detail in our Report No. 4, which will be issued within the next few

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gether and piled them in the closet for a bondre, little thinking that he was liable to burn down the heuse. When he applied the match he stood buck with give to watch the blaze. In a few admates the whole closet was adme. Mrs. Swoboda, who happened to go upstairs, discovered the flames and called to a passer-by to turn in an airrm of fire. The damage is estimated at \$100. NEVER WEAR OUT.

INCREASE IN BANK CLEARINGS. Records Broken in Nearly All Lines

of Trade.

In point of volume of business transacted n nearly all lines of trade, New St. Louis again broke all records in the week which flored yesterday, The top notch for bank clearings estab

The top noten for bank clearings established the protons week was surpassed by nearly \$20,000, the exact figures being \$3,501,607, as against \$32,903,302. Wholesale dealers and jobbers in all branches of business report that the volume of transactions in the week just closed was the largest ever recorded in an equal period of time in the history of St. Louis. PLAN TO BUILD GREAT BRIDGE. Will Be Highest in America, With

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 22.+A company represented by a Sydney law firm proposes to build a suspension bridge across the Strait of Canse, from Cape Porcupine to the vicinity of Port Hastings. The bridge as planned will have a span of 1,000 feet, will be the highest in America and will cost about \$1,000,000.

a Thousand-Foot Span.

An answer was filed yesterday in Judge Ryan's Court to the application of Elbridge W. Chare for an injunction to restrain Journeymen Steamfitters Unions Nos. 25 and 33 and others from interfering with Chase's men. The defendants deny that they interfered with Chase's men or picketed his shop, or ordered any strike, or were guilty of any of the other axis complained of in Crase's petition. STRIKING STEAMFITTERS REPLY-

ALTON SHOES. \$2.50 to \$3.50 per pair. Best at the price.

Weary Willie ain't so bad a fellow, after all; he says he knows he can't stop our selling shees as long as we advertise this way; all he asks is to give him old shoes gui-s, very quick. Snow has come and he can't get South fast enough. Well, we'll tell you later of our talk with him. We have not money enough to pay for more space until we sell another pair of Never-Wear-Out-Shoes. Sahe? Don't never? Room-pile and whipping post in our next.

TWO ALDERMEN RESIGNED.

Modesto, Ill., Women Had Protested Against Licensing Dramshops.

REPI ELIC SPECIAL.

Medora, Ill., Nov. 23.—As the result of a vigorous crusade by the women of Modesto, Ill., against the licensing of dramshops in that village, two members of the Town Board have resigned, and there is no assurance that the Board will again assemble until after the annual election next sprins. The Village Council had considered the advisability of making Modesto a license town. At its late meeting seventy-five women of the town appeared before the Board and entered such strengen overswed and abandoned the idea. Two of the members resigned immediately.

Revival Lasted for Four Weeks. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Carlyle, Iil., Nov. 23.—The most successful protracted meeting ever held in Wisctown has just closed in the Baptist Church there. It lasted four weeks and there were thirty accessions to the church. The meetings were conducted by the Reverend Mr. Colbert.

J. J. Butler in Washington.

Washington Nov. 21.—Representative James J. Butler of St. Louis has arrived and will be located, with Ms wife and boy, at the Raleigh Hotel during the coming session of Congress.